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Respectfully submitted,



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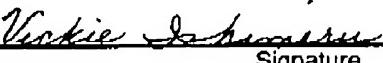
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RESPONSE /AMENDMENT

Sir/Madam:

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action mailed 7/16/2003, following the amendment format as set forth in the Revised 37 CFR §1.121. After this introductory section, there are Amendments to the Claims and then Remarks, each starting on a separate page.

Amendments to the Claims consist of amendments for claims 1 and 6, which are incorporated in a complete listing of the claims.